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Mr. Joseph A Legare  
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**RE: Reconnaissance Level Characterization Report (RLCR) for Buildings 562, 563, & 564 -  
Concurrence**

Dear Mr. Legare:

The Colorado Department of Public Health and Environment, Hazardous Materials and Waste Management Division has reviewed the RLCR for Buildings 562, 563, and 564, as provided in the 559 Cluster Closure Project Revision 0 dated November 14, 2001, which was received on December 26, 2001. Based on the information contained in this RLCR, we are hereby concurring with the Type 1 designation for Buildings 562, 563, and 564.

Although these buildings are currently identified as Type 1 Facilities, it is recognized that due to accessibility problems additional investigation of B563 will occur during demolition. In addition, some of these facilities may still be in use. As such, even with "isolation controls" (posting/signs) contamination may inadvertently be carried or brought into these facilities. Therefore, additional assessments including investigations should be performed upon termination of active utilization. The consultative process should be utilized to acquire and provide this information prior to final disposition of these facilities.

If you have any questions regarding this correspondence please contact me at (303) 692-3367 or Denise Onyskiw at either (303) 692-3371 or (303) 966-6687.

Sincerely,

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